

Women's Quarterfinal Game

Mt. San Antonio 89, College of the Siskiyous 68

Mt. San Antonio, the defending state champion, wasted little time in sending a message to the rest of the field at the California Community Colleges Athletic Association Women's Basketball Championship at the University of Pacific in Stockton as the Mounties rolled, 89-68, Thursday, March 13.

The Mounties (35-1) led the start, jumping out to leads of 7-0, 16-2 and 22-6 in the first half. It wasn't long into the second half before Mt. San Antonio had built a 20-plus lead behind strong rebounding and inside game, led by Carmen Deal and Kendra Calvin.

Siskiyous, champions of the Golden Valley Conference, struggled from the floor throughout the game. The Golden Eagles made just 8 of 24 shots in the first half and 2 of 7 from the free throw line.

Mt. San Antonio's big-inside line-up resulted in Siskiyous making just eight second-chance points. The Mounties also held a 44 to 28 rebounding advantage and outscored the Eagles' bench 36 to 2. Mt. San Antonio also scored 48 of its points in the paint.

Deal led all Mounties' scorers with 22 points. She also grabbed 12 rebounds, 7 offensive. Jazlyn Davis added 21 and Blaire Egardo added 18. Calvin, who had 8 points, finished with 7 rebounds.

Meanwhile, Siskiyous got 24 points from Karlee Myers, who played all 40 minutes, and 19 from Kristi Arness. Crissy Watts chipped in 15.

Up next for Mt. San Antonio on Saturday is the winner of the Fresno-Ventura game at 1 p.m.